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Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents

1. Response to Requirement for Restriction (1 page);
2. Petition for Extension of Time (1 page);
3. Check No. 1298 for \$ 110.00; and
4. Return Postcard.

The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 50-0311 (Reference No. 15966-559 (Cura-59)). A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed. If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned collect at (617) 542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

Respectfully submitted,

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